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OF THE
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
AND OF THE
CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR
FOR THE YEAR 1969

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PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Medical Officer of Health
(Until 31st March 1969)

S.M. Young, Esq., L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S.
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Medical Officer of Health
(From 16th May, 1969)

T.F. Haynes, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.,
D.C.H.

Acting Medical Officer of Health
(From 1st April, 1969)

Deputy Medical Officer of Health
(Until 31st March, 1969)

Chief Public Health Inspector,
Cleansing Superintendent and
Petroleum Officer

G. Brogan, (a) (b)

Additional Public Health Inspectors

D. A. Plummer (a) (b) (c)

C. Haskey (d) (e)

Student Public Health Inspector

R. C. Crooks

Clerk

Mrs. J. Foster

- (a) Certificate of the Royal Society of Health qualifying as a Public Health Inspector
- (b) Certificate of the Royal Society of Health qualifying as an Inspector of Meat and Other Foods.
- (c) Certificate of the Royal Society of Health qualifying as a Smoke Inspector.
- (d) Certificate of the Public Health Inspectors Education Board qualifying as a Public Health Inspector.
- (e) Diploma of The Royal Society of Health qualifying as an Inspector of Meat and Other Foods

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Population 1969 (estimated mid-year Registrar General)	26,440
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Number of inhabited houses:

[illegible]

Houses and Shops 190

Public Houses 14

Rateable Value	£879,977
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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR 1969

To the Chairman and Members of the Hucknall Urban District Council

Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting to you my Annual Report of the health of the District for the year 1969.

VITAL STATISTICS

The population as estimated by the Registrar is given as 26,440 an increase of 180 from 26,260 in 1968.

The live birth rate per 1,000 population (adjusted) is 18.7 as compared with 16.3 for England and Wales. This is a slight increase compared with the figure of 18.07 last year. The number of illegitimate live births expressed as a percentage of all live births is 4. This is low compared with the figure of 8 for England and Wales, and is the lowest in Hucknall since 1965.

The still birth rate per 1,000 total live and stillbirths is 18. This is high compared with the figure of 13 for England and Wales, and is the highest in Hucknall during the last five years.

The causes of these stillbirths classified under the International Classification of Causes of Stillbirth are as follows:-

	Hospital	Home
Disease of Pregnancy and Childbirth	1	0
Placental and Cord Conditions	5	0
Congenital Malformations	3	0

Of the five due to placental and cord conditions, four were due to placental insufficiency.

Interpretation of a high stillbirth rate is not simple because the position of the pregnancy in relation to previous pregnancies and maternal age as well as medical and social circumstances influence the level of risk that a child is stillborn.

The total number of deaths in children under one year registered was 8, and none of these was illegitimate. This gave an infant mortality rate of 16 - compared with 18 for England and Wales.

Of the eight children dying under one year, the number dying under four weeks of age was seven, and of these seven, six were under one week of age. These figures give a neonatal mortality rate of 14 compared with 12 for England and Wales.

The perinatal mortality rate i.e. stillbirths and deaths under 1 week combined per 1,000 total live and stillbirths was 30 compared with 23 for England and Wales. It will be seen from Table 2

- a) that the causes of death under one week were mainly prematurity, congenital abnormality and birth injuries associated with difficult labour
- b) that the deaths in the early neonatal period accounted for the majority of the infant deaths under one year.

In the early neonatal period deaths are mainly due to prenatal influences. They mirror maternal health, genetic factors and the value of ante-natal care, whilst post-natal deaths mirror environmental factors i.e. they may indicate inferior housing accommodation and inadequate and faulty infant care resulting in infection.

One feels that these figures give support to the fact that while past years have seen a marked decline nationally in infant mortality, this fall has been due to the marked improvement in environmental factors e.g. housing, prevention of infection by immunisation, and health education. In looking to the future community physicians must not only maintain these advances, but also turn their thoughts to epidemiological research into the causes of congenital defects and maternal illness associated with perinatal mortality if they are to continue to practice preventive paediatrics. This work was already begun with the Perinatal Mortality Survey under the auspices of the National Birthday Trust Fund.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES; IMMUNISATION AND VACCINATION

In May 1969 the classic textbook case of an asymptomatic typhoid carrier occurred in the District. The case was diagnosed coincidentally as a result of an operation, and received further treatment in the Fever Hospital. The sewers in the district concerned were 'swabbed' twice and I am glad to say that the results were negative. There was no evidence of infection having occurred at any time in members of the same household. This case had no connection with another case of typhoid reported in the City at the beginning of the month. Whilst a classic case of a carrier of this type is uncommon in people who have not travelled abroad to areas where the disease is endemic, the case should serve as a sharp reminder that for all people intending to travel to these areas immunisation is a 'MUST'.

The notifications of measles in 1969 totalled 18 - a drop compared with 374 in 1968 and 187 in 1967. While some of this drop may be due to the vaccination programme started in 1967 one must remember that there tends to be a biennial upsurge followed by a drop in the number of cases notified. The supply of vaccine had been erratic for some time in 1968 and in March 1969 measles vaccinations were stopped temporarily owing to the withdrawal of vaccine. It will be interesting to follow the fluctuation of numbers of notified cases over the next five years.

Diphtheria has remained conspicuous by its absence - probably I feel due to the good sense of the parents in requesting immunisation against the disease, and also because of the ever watchful eyes of the Health Visitors, School Nurses and

Clerical

Clinical Staff on the vaccination and immunisation records.

In this the first complete year of the notification of Infective Hepatitis there were three cases. Two of these were children aged 4 years and 7 years and their father aged 30 years.

No new case of Tuberculosis was notified during the year.

The message to parents is as ever:-

"PROTECT YOUR CHILD - BY VACCINATION AND IMMUNISATION."

The very low incidence of diseases such as Diphtheria, Tuberculosis and Poliomyelitis in this decade compared with past decades bears out the wisdom of this message.

In conclusion I would like to offer my sincere thanks to Mr. Brogan, Mr. Plummer, Mr. Haskey, Mr. Crooks, Miss Wright and her predecessor Mrs. Foster for their help in this my first year as your District Medical Officer. I am grateful to the other Chief Officers and their staff, in particular Mr. Sharp, for their support and advice. I remain indebted to Doctor Lockett, the County Medical Officer, for his helpful advice on many occasions and also to his staff both at County Hall and on the District, - particularly the staff of the County Health Clinic for their kindness and unfailing loyalty at all times.

To the Chairman and Members of the Health Committee and all Members of the Hucknall U.D.C. my thanks are due for their support and interest in coping with the health problems of this community.

June Maynes

TABLE 1 - VITAL STATISTICS OF THE WHOLE DISTRICT DURING 1969 AND PREVIOUS YEARS

Hucknall Urban District population	Live Births		Illegitimate live births (per cent of total live births)	Deaths (all causes)		Stillbirths		Maternal Mortality		Infant Mortality					
										Total		Neonatal		Illeg- itima- et	Leg- iti- mate
	No. regist- ered	Rate per 1,000 pop'n (crude)		No. of deaths- regis- tered	Rate per 1,000 total live births	No of deaths regis- tered	Rate per 1,000 total live births								
Year	1964	482	*19.5	274	*11.1	8	16.3	Nil	Nil	11	22.8	9	18.6	68.9	19.8
	1965	505	*20.1	251	* 9.9	7	13.6	Nil	Nil	14	27.7	9	17.8	62.5	26.5
	1966	455	*17.8	254	* 9.9	8	17.6	1	2.2	9	19.7	5	11.0	Nil	20.7
	1967	535	*20.8	242	* 9.4	4	7.4	Nil	Nil	5	9.3	4	7.4	Nil	9.7
	1968	471	*17.9	288	*10.9	5	10.5	Nil	Nil	12	25.4	9	19.0	35.7	24.7
	1969	490	*18.5	260	*9.8	9	18.0	Nil	Nil	8	16.0	7	14.0	Nil	17.0

HUCKNALL - Early Neo-natal Mortality Rate - 12.0 Perinatal Mortality Rate - 30.0
*Adjusted Live Births (Comparability Factor 1.01) = 18.7 per 1,000
Death Rate (Comparability Factor 1.21) = 11.9 per 1,000

TABLE 2
INFANT MORTALITY DEATHS
under one year of age

Causes of Death	Under 1 week	1 to 2 weeks	2 to 3 weeks	3 to 4 weeks	Total under 4 weeks	4 weeks and under 3 mths.	3 mths. and under 6 mths.	6 mths. and under 9 mths.	9 mths. and under 1 yr.	Total under one year
Prematurity	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4
Meningitis	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	2
Birth injuries & difficult labour	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Congenital anomalies	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
TOTAL	6	1	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	8

TABLE 3

Causes of Death, 1969	M	F	Total
Enteritis and other Diarrhoeal Diseases	1	-	1
Syphilis and its sequelae	-	1	1
Other infective and parasitic diseases	-	1	1
Malignant neoplasm, Buccal Cavity, etc.	2	-	2
Malignant neoplasm, Stomach	4	4	8
Malignant neoplasm, Intestine	3	5	8
Malignant neoplasm, Lung, Bronchus	9	1	10
Malignant neoplasm, Breast	-	4	4
Malignant neoplasm, Uterus	-	2	2
Malignant neoplasm, Prostate	1	-	1
Leukaemia	-	1	1
Other malignant neoplasms	8	10	18
Other endocrine etc. diseases	-	1	1
Anaemias	-	1	1
Meningitis	3	-	3
Other diseases of nervous system, etc.	1	-	1
Chronic rheumatic heart disease	1	2	3
Hypertensive disease	3	10	13
Ischaemic heart disease	27	14	41
Other forms of heart disease	6	13	19
Cerebrovascular disease	20	22	42
Other disease of circulatory system	5	4	9
Influenza	1	-	1
Pneumonia	7	7	14
Bronchitis and Emphysema	7	3	10
Other diseases of respiratory system	2	3	5
Peptic ulcer	-	1	1
Appendicitis	1	1	2
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	2	-	2
Other diseases of Digestive system	2	2	4
Other diseases, Genito-urinary system	1	-	1
Diseases of Musculo-Skeletal system	1	1	2
Congenital Anomalies	1	-	1
Birth injury, Difficult labour etc.	3	2	5
Motor Vehicle Accidents	4	3	7
All other accidents	4	8	12
Suicide and self-inflicted injuries	2	1	3
TOTAL ALL CAUSES	132	128	260

TABLE 4

Monthly notification of Infectious Diseases, 1969

Diseases	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Totals
Scarlet Fever	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	9
Whooping Cough	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Measles	1	1	1	4	4	2	2	1	-	-	2	1	18
Typhoid	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Infective Jaundice	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3
* Dysentery	-	2	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
TOTAL	1	3	6	8	5	4	4	1	1	2	3	2	39

* Diagnosis Confirmed - Dysentery seven.

STAFF MEDICALS

During the year eleven medical inspections were carried out in respect of new staff entrants and existing staff desirous of joining the Superannuation Scheme.

TABLE 5 - CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED DURING THE YEAR 1969

Notifiable Cases	Number of Cases Notified												Cases removed to Hospital	Total Deaths
	At Ages - Years													
	All ages	Under 1	1 to 2	3 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 64	65 & over	Age unknown		
Scarlet Fever	9	-	-	1	9	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whooping Cough	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Measles	18	-	11	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Typhoid	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
Dysentery	7	-	1	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infective Jaundice	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	39	-	12	7	16	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-

VACCINATION AND IMMUNISATION

1st January - 31st December, 1969

TYPE OF VACCINE	YEAR OF BIRTH						
	1969	1968	1967	1966	1962-65	Boosters	Others
<u>Triple</u> , Diphtheria, Whooping Cough & Tetanus	51	227	14	5	3	461	-
Diphtheria & Tetanus	-	-	-	-	11	212	-
Poliomyelitis	18	245	32	12	31	451	3
Tetanus	-	-	-	-	8	50	35
Measles	-	41	73	32	60	-	11

Smallpox

Under 3 months	Nil	1 year	262
3 - 5 months	Nil	2 - 4 years	63
6 - 8 months	Nil	5 - 14 years	42
9 - 11 months	3	Revaccinations	55

B.C.G.

No. offered vaccination	398
No. accepted	372
No. skin-tested	358
No. negative & vaccinated	334
No. positive	24

All the positives were X-rayed.

1st January - 31st December, 1968

TYPE OF VACCINE	YEAR OF BIRTH						
	1968	1967	1966	1965	1961-64	Boosters	Others
<u>Triple</u> , Diphtheria, Whooping Cough & Tetanus	157	307	13	13	29	-	6
Diphtheria & Tetanus	-	-	-	-	33	-	-
Poliomyelitis	98	307	31	25	61	-	5
Tetanus	-	-	-	-	8	-	41
Measles	50	78	97	77	162	-	21

Smallpox

Under 3 months	Nil	1 year	264
3 - 5 months	2	2 - 4 years	48
6 - 8 months	9	5 - 16 years	15
9 - 11 months	10	Revaccinations	9

B.C.G.

No. offered vaccination	411
No. accepted	379
No. skin-tested	371
No. negative & vaccinated	350
No. positive	21

All the positives were X-rayed.

HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED BY
THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Details of these services are provided for information by courtesy of the County Council.

Watnall Road Clinic

The County Health Clinic, Watnall Road, is utilised for Maternity and Child Health, School Clinic, Cervical Cytology, Dental Clinic, Relaxation Sessions, Speech training, Vaccination and Immunisation, Audiometry, Eye Testing, Distribution of Welfare Foods and District Home Help Service.

Ante-Natal and Post-Natal Sessions

Friday 1.30 p.m. until 4.00 p.m.

Medical Officer in attendance.

Child Health Sessions

Monday 2.00 p.m. until 4.30 p.m.

Thursday 2.00 p.m. until 4.30 p.m. Medical Officer in attendance -
alternate sessions.

Health Visitors are in attendance at each Ante-Natal, Post-Natal and Child Health Sessions.

Cervical Cytology Sessions

Alternate Tuesdays at 7.00 p.m.

School Clinic Sessions

Tuesday 9.30 a.m. until 12 noon.

Friday 9.30 a.m. until 12 noon

Dental Clinic Sessions

Treatment is given by appointment only.

Vaccination and Immunisation

A vaccination and immunisation session is held on alternate Monday mornings at 9.30 a.m. by appointment.

Distribution of Welfare Foods

Monday to Friday - 2.00 p.m. until 5.00 p.m.

The Fire Station, Watnall Road, Hucknall

A child health session is held at the Fire Station, Watnall Road, Hucknall, each Wednesday afternoon between 2.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

Midwifery Service

The service of the following County Midwives and District Nurse-Midwives are available in the Urban District:-

County Midwives

Miss A. Calcroft,
18 Woodstock Street,
HUCKNALL,
Nottingham.
NG15 7SP

Telephone: Hucknall
2687

Mrs. M.E. Tallon,
16 Petworth Drive,
Heathfield Estate,
Nottingham.

Telephone: Nottingham
65611

Miss H.M. Beynon,
Nurses' Home,
Beardall Street,
HUCKNALL,
Nottingham.
NG15 7RA

Telephone: Hucknall
3508

Miss A.C. McCreath,
Nurses' Home,
Beardall Street,
HUCKNALL,
Nottingham.
NG15 7RA

Telephone: Hucknall
4879

Part time: - Miss M. Spellman,
6 Greenwood Vale,
HUCKNALL,
Nottingham.
NG15 6LY

Telephone: Hucknall
2456

HOME NURSING SERVICE

District Nurses

Mrs. M.P. Burnett,
15 Longdale Avenue,
Ravenshead,
Nr. Mansfield,
Notts.

Telephone: Blidworth
2290

Mrs. M. Clarke,
43 Revelstoke Way,
Rise Park,
Bestwood,
Notts.

Telephone: Nottingham
271923

Mrs. L.A. Jackson,
7 Leabrook Gardens,
Linby,
Notts.

Telephone: Hucknall
2228

Mrs. J. Butcher,
61 Cedarland Crescent,
Nuthall,
Nottingham.

Telephone: Nottingham
271604

Maternity Outfits

Sterilised maternity outfits containing all dressing necessary for the conduct of a domiciliary confinement are supplied free of charge on the certification of the midwife engaged or the Health Visitor.

Care of Premature Births

The provision of draught-proof cots with hot water bottles, blankets, etc., and an ambulance is made for all premature infants requiring transportation to hospital. The midwife accompanies the infant on the journey to hospital.

Similar equipped cots are provided for such infants nursed at home.

The services of a Consultant Paediatrician are available when required.

Home Help Service

Home Helps are available where domestic help is required owing to the presence of any person who is ill, lying-in, an expectant mother, mentally ill, aged or a child not over compulsory school age. The charge for this service is six shillings per hour, but where the recipient is unable to afford this standard charge, the County Council's Scale of Assistance is applied.

At the end of the year, there was a total of seventy-six Home Helps employed on the joint district of Hucknall and Eastwood, forty-six of whom are available for service in Hucknall Urban District.

Cases in need of help should be reported to the District Office, County Health Clinic, Watnall Road, Hucknall, (Telephone: Hucknall 3596). It is particularly important that expectant mothers wishing to book a Home Help for their confinements should do so at an early date in order that adequate arrangements may be made.

County Ambulance Service

Statistics 1969

Patients carried	23,502
Mileage involved	118,152

Categories of 23,502 patients were as follows:-

Accident	542
Emergency	992
Treatment	21,946
Others	22

REPORT OF THE
CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR AND CLEANSING SUPERINTENDENT
FOR THE YEAR 1969

To the Chairman and Members of the Hucknall Urban District Council

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in presenting my report for 1969, a year in which further progress was made in the field of Smoke Control. Conversions of fireplaces on the Ruffs No. 2 area were carried out during the summer and the order came into force on 1st October 1969. The survey of the No. 3 Westville area was completed in January and submitted to the Ministry of Housing and Local Government. A Public Enquiry was held on 23rd July 1969 in respect of two objections to the area and confirmation of the order was received on 7th November, 1969. The operative date of this area will be 1st October 1970.

There was not as much solid smokeless fuel available for our smoke control areas as one would have wished, but if householders were prepared to use a variety of smokeless fuels according to the type obtainable at any specific time, and were ordering in advance of requirements, it was possible for the merchants to cope with the situation. Our thanks are due to the solid fuel merchants for their unsparing efforts to meet demands which, at times, were almost overwhelming.

A small Slum Clearance area comprising Nos. 76 - 84 Byron Street and Nos. 85 - 99 Building Street was represented during the year. Five individual houses, 2 and 4 Belvoir Street, 2 and 4 Wesley Chapel Yard and 51a Beardall Street were also dealt with. No. 116 Watnall Road, No. 8 Curtis Street and No. 47 Beardall Street were purchased and will be repaired and provided with bathroom facilities.

The improvement of the properties lacking hot water supplies, baths, wash hand basins and internal water closets was pursued and applications for grants numbered one hundred and fifty-one. The Housing Act 1969 with its provisions for the fixing of higher rents in respect of properties improved and in a good state of repair will, we hope, encourage owners to accelerate the rate at which modern facilities are installed.

The disposal of household refuse in future years had to be considered as our existing tipping site, which has been in use for the past 22 years is almost filled. Meetings were held with Kirkby U.D.C., Sutton-in-Ashfield U.D.C. and Basford R.D.C. with a view to jointly using a large tipping

area in Selston. It is now almost certain that this scheme will be put into operation and in view of the increased haul to the tip orders are to be placed for larger capacity vehicles to cut down the number of daily visits to the tip. Consideration will also be given to the recommencement of waste paper salvaging.

In conclusion , I would like to thank the staff for their loyal support throughout the year and the Members of the Council for their continued interest in the work of the department.

H O U S I N G

1. Inspection of Dwelling houses during the year

(i)	(a)	Total number of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts).	405
	(b)	Number of inspections made for the purposes	473
(ii)		Number of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation	Nil
(iii)		Number of dwelling houses (exclusive of those referred to under the preceding sub-head) found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation	44

2. Remedy of defects during the year without Service of Formal Notices

	Number of defective dwelling houses rendered fit in consequence of Informal action by the Local Authority	25
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3. Acting under Statutory Powers during the year

(i)	<u>Proceedings under Section 9 and 10 of the Housing Act 1957:</u>		
	(a)	Number of dwelling houses in respect of which formal notices were served requiring repairs	16
	(b)	Number of dwelling houses which were rendered fit after service of formal notices	
		By owners	3
		By Local Authority in default of owners	Nil
(ii)	<u>Proceedings under the Public Health Acts:</u>		
	(a)	Number of dwelling houses in respect of which formal notices were served requiring defects to be remedied	8
	(b)	Number of dwelling houses of which were remedied after service of formal notices	
		By owners	11
		By Local Authority in default of owners	Nil
(iii)	<u>Proceedings under Section 16, 17 and 42 of the Housing Act 1957</u>		
	(a)	Number of dwelling houses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made	30
	(b)	Number of dwelling houses demolished in pursuance of Demolition Orders	16
	(c)	Number of houses demolished in pursuance of Clearance Orders	14
	(d)	Number of houses demolished in pursuance of Compulsory Purchase Orders	Nil
	(e)	Number of houses in respect of which closing orders were made	Nil
	(f)	Number of houses demolished in pursuance of undertakings	Nil

(iv) Proceedings under Section 18 of the Housing Act 1957

(a) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were made	1
(b) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were determined, the tenement or room having been rendered fit	Nil

4. Housing Act 1936 - Part IV - Abatement of Overcrowding

Number of new houses completed during the year	
(a) By the Local Authority	76
(b) By Private Enterprise	89
Number of applicants for houses at the end of the year	346
Number of applicants for bungalows at the end of the year	174
Number of applicants for bedsitters at the end of the year	79
Number of families rehoused during the year	158

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Part I - Applications for Certificate of Disrepair

(1)	Number of applications for certificates	4
(2)	Number of decisions not to issue certificates	Nil
(3)	Number of decisions to issue certificates	
	(a) in respect of some but not all defects	1
	(b) in respect of all defects	2
(4)	Number of undertakings given by landlords under paragraph 5 of the First Schedule	1
(5)	Number of undertakings refused by Local Authority under proviso to paragraph 5 of the First Schedule	Nil
(6)	Number of certificates issued	3

Part II - Applications for Cancellation of Certificates

(7)	Applications by landlords to Local Authority for cancellation of certificates	2
(8)	Objection by tenants to cancellation of certificates	2
(9)	Decisions by Local Authority to cancel in spite of tenants' objections	Nil
(10)	Certificates cancelled by Local Authority	1

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH ON
THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FACTORIES ACT 1937

Premises	Number of Register	Number of		
		Inspections	Written Notices	Occupiers Prosecuted
(i) Factories in which Section 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities	2	2	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authorities	83	71	1	-
(iii) Other premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers premises)	6	9	-	-
TOTAL	91	82	1	-

CASES IN WHICH DEFECTS WERE FOUND

FACTORIES ACT 1961

<u>Particulars</u>	Number of cases in which defects were found				No. of cases of which prosecutions were instituted
	Found	Remedied	Referred		
			to H. M. Inspector	By H. M. Inspector	
Want of cleanliness (SI)	2	2	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences	-	-	-	-	-
(a) Insufficient	-	-	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective	1	1	-	-	-
(c) Not separate for sexes	-	-	-	-	-

OUTWORKERS (Section 110 and 111)

<u>Nature of Work</u>	Section 110		Section 111		
	No. of outworkers in August list required by Section 110(1) (c)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council	No. of prosecutions for failure supply lists	No. of instances of works in unwholesome premises	Prosecutions
Wearing apparel making etc.	58	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Textile weaving	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TOTAL	58	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

FOOD EXAMINED AND FOUND UNFIT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION

Fruit	1,125 tins	Corned Beef	55 tins
Fruit Juice	9 tins	Pork Dripping	3 tubs
Tomatoes	437 tins	Beasts Liver	17½
Carrots	12 tins	Lambs Liver	17½
Beans	70 tins	Ham and Pork	35 tins
Beetroot	3 jars	Heart	1
Peas	330 tins	Meat Pies	23
Mixed Vegetables	5 tins	Mint	1 jar
New Potatoes	7 tins	Spaghetti	5 tins
Corn-on-the-Cob	2 tins	Sausages	35 pkts.
Salt	24 pkts.	Puddings	24 tins
Cut Peel	2 pkts.	Soup	101 tins
Milk or Cream	19 tins	Milk Puddings	32 tins
Ice cream	2 galls.	Salmon	7 tins
Pickles	1 jar	Jellied Veal	28 tins
Jam	14 jars	Shrimps	3 tins
Tuna Paste	1 jar	Figs	6 pkts.
Pork'n'Cheese Loaf	1 tin	Baby Food	15 tins
Pilchards	6 tins	Coffee	1 tin
Steak	15½ lbs.	Bacon	308 lbs.
Lambs Tongue	2 tins	Cheese	589 lbs.
Chicken and Ham	3 tins	Butter	5 lbs.
Beasts Head	2	Cheese Spread	2 pkts.
Pork Luncheon Meat	144 tins	Bisto	2 pkts.
Pork	108 tins	Icing Sugar	2 pkts.
Ham	158 tins	Quaker Oats	1 pkt.
Stewed Steak	17 tins	Biscuits	1 pkt.
Irish Stew	10 tins	Jam Roly-Poly	26 pkts.
Gammon	18 lbs.	Frozen Foods	2,594 items
Pork Tongue	2 tins	Chicken	10 tins
Ox Tongue	14 tins	Beef	3 tins

FOOD HYGIENE REGULATIONS

Details of Food Premises in the District

Milk Wholesalers	2
Cooked Meats	2
Butchers	19
Grocers	51
Fish Fryers	8
Fish, Fruit and Vegetables	2
Fishmongers	2
Greengrocers	10
Canteens	11
Confectioners	5
Bakers and Confectioners	4
Wines and Spirits	3
Cafes and Snackbars	8
Sweets	20
Supermarkets	10
Public Houses	13
Licensed Clubs	8
Food Warehouses	1
School Meals Kitchens	6
Mineral water manufacturers	1
Ice cream manufacturers	1

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1955 - SECTION 16

Registration of premises used in connection with the sale or manufacture of ice cream or preserved foods:

Total number of applications for registration	4
For the sale or manufacture of ice cream	4
For the manufacture of sausage, or potted meat, pressed, pickled or preserved foods intended for sale	Nil
Total number of premises registered for the manufacture of ice cream	1
Total number of premises registered for the sale of ice cream	82
Total number of premises registered for the manufacture of sausage, potted meat, etc.	12

Section 91

Sampling is under the administration of the Nottinghamshire County Council. Mr. T.L.E. Gregory, the Chief Inspector, has kindly furnished the following particulars:-

Articles	Number of samples			Adulterated and sub-standard samples	Remarks
	Obtained	Genuine	Adult. or Sub-standard	Result of examination and/or analysis	
Beer	3	3	-		
Bread, low calorie-high protein	1	1	-		
Cake Filling Mixture	1	1	-		
Cake Mixture	2	2	-		
Cereal with fruit and nuts	1	1	-		
Cheese Spread	1	1	-		
Chocolate with raspberry jelly	1	1	-		
Chutney Sauce	1	1	-		
Coffee, Dandelion - caffeine free	1	1	-		
Cola	1	1	-		
Cooking Oil	1	1	-		
Corned Beef	1	1	-		
Cough Medicine, herbal	1	1	-		
Cough Mixture	1	1	-		
Cream	1	1	-		
Christmas Pudding	1	1	-		
Custard	1	1	-		
Digestive laxative tonic	1	1	-		
Fish Cakes	1	1	-		
Fruit Cocktail in heavy syrup	1	1	-		
Fruit, mixed and dried	2	2	-		
Gin	2	2	-		
Grapefruit Jelly	1	1	-		
Ice cream	1	1	-		
Indian Cerate	1	1	-		
Jam	1	1	-		
Lard	1	1	-		
Leeks	1	1	-		
Lemon and Blackcurrant with Vitamin C	1	-	1	Deficient in Vitamin C.	
Lemon Curd	1	1	-	Old stock withdrawn from sale.	
Lime & Lemon Drink	1	1	-	All claims for Vitamin C content deleted.	
Low-fat Spread	1	1	-		
Margarine	1	1	-		
Meat Pies	1	1	-		
Milk	15	15	-		
Milk, condensed	2	2	-		
Minced Meat	2	2	-		
Mince Pies	1	1	-		
Ointment	1	1	-		
Orange Drink	2	2	-		
Peaches in heavy syrup	1	1	-		
Total to be carried forward	63	62	1		

Articles	Number of samples			Adulterated and sub-standard samples	Remarks
	Obtained	Genuine	Adult. or Sub-standard	Result of examination and/or analysis	
Total brought Forward	63	62	1		
Pears	1	1	1	Contained slight excess of mineral hydro-carbons	Manufacturer cautioned.
Raisins	1	1	1		
Salad Cream	1	1	1		
Sausage, pork	2	2	1		
Sausage Savouries	1	1	1		
Soup	1	1	1		
Steak & Kidney Pie	1	1	1		
Steak & Onion Pie	1	1	1		
Sweets	1	1	1		
Table Creams	1	1	1		
Table Jelly	1	1	1		
Tomatoes, canned	1	1	1		
Tripe	1	1	1		
Whisky	1	1	1		
Yoghurt	1	1	1		
Totals	79	77	2		

Miscellaneous Food and Drugs Investigation

Selling pork sausage containing pieces of a plastic material. Manufacturer cautioned.

THE MILK (SPECIAL DESIGNATIONS) (PASTEURISED AND STERILISED) MILK REGULATIONS

	Pasteurised	Sterilised	Untreated
Samples obtained and sub-mitted to prescribed tests	130	4	5
Samples found unsatisfactory	1	Nil	Nil

BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION OF MILK BOTTLES

Examined	36
Satisfactory	36
Unsatisfactory	Nil

The results taken by our department are shown below:-

	<u>No. of samples submitted for Bacterial examination</u>	<u>No. found satisfactory</u>	<u>No. found unsatisfactory</u>
Milk (Pasteurised)	6	6	Nil
Milk (Sterilised)	2	2	Nil
Ice cream	7	6	1
Water	2	2	Nil

INSECT INFESTATIONS

During the year 271 houses or parts of houses were treated with proprietary brands of insecticides for Ants 228, Cockroaches 15, Silverfish 1, Wasps 10, Woodworm 1, Clover mites 5, Flies 3, Slugs 1, Spiders 2 and other insects 5.

PREVENTION OF DAMAGE BY PESTS ACT, 1949

During the year 160 complaints of rats and 22 of mice were received. They were as follows:

Private Houses	Rats	136	Mice	18
Business Premises	Rats	18	Mice	10

In each case baiting with Warfarin or Raticate proved successful.

SLAUGHTERHOUSES

Particulars of carcasses inspected and condemned are set out below:

	Cattle (excluding cows)	Cows	Calves	Lambs	Pigs
Number killed	254	Nil	Nil	1,250	Nil
Number inspected	254	Nil	Nil	1,250	Nil
All diseases except Tuberculosis					
Whole carcasses condemned	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Carcasses of which some part or organ condemned	22	Nil	Nil	8	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected with disease other than Tuberculosis	8.6	Nil	Nil	0.64	Nil
<u>Tuberculosis only</u>					
Whole carcass condemned	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Carcasses of which some part or organ condemned	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Percentage of the number inspected affected with Tuberculosis	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

FOR THE YEAR 1969

Table A - Registrations and General Inspections

Class of Premises	Number of premises registered during the year	Total number of registered premises at end of year	Number of registered premises receiving a general inspection during the year
Offices	2	32	2
Retail Shops	3	105	3
Wholesale shops, warehouses	-	2	-
Catering establishments open to public, canteens	-	14	-
Fuel storage depots	-	-	-
TOTALS	5	153	5

Table B - Number of visits of all kinds by Inspectors to registered premises = 48

Table C - Analysis of Persons Employed in Registered Premises by Workplace

Class of Workplace	Number of Persons
Catering, establishments open to the public	86
Offices	318
Retail Shops	495
Wholesale department, warehouses	3
Canteens	3
Fuel storage depots	-
TOTAL MALES 316 TOTAL FEMALES 589	GRAND TOTAL 905

